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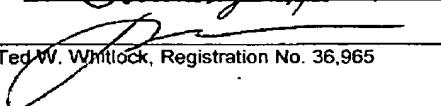
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Dear Sirs:

This is in further response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time and fee were submitted with the original Reply dated December 20, 2006.

It has been brought to the attention of the undersigned that two (2) typographical errors were present in the applicant's Reply/Amendment dated December 20, 2006. Specifically, those typographical errors are as follows:

At page 7, final paragraph, line 2: the word "as" is presented as "s". Thus, the sentence: "Claims 1, 3-4, 7-8, 10-11 and 14 also stand rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Pence et al. s evidenced by Hsu et al." should read: "Claims 1,

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3-4, 7-8, 10-11 and 14 also stand rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Pence et al. as evidenced by Hsu et al."

At page 8, first full paragraph, line 7, between "is" and "correlation", the word "no" was inadvertently omitted. Thus, the sentence: "There is correlation between agents that inhibit carcinogenesis and agents that are effective as cancer therapies." should read: "There is no correlation between agents that inhibit carcinogenesis and agents that are effective as cancer therapies."

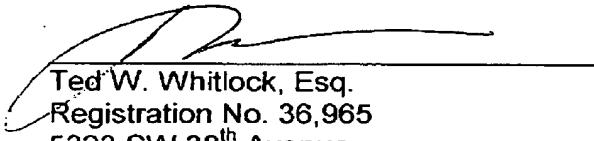
Applicant believes that the true and correct meanings of these sentences were apparent from the context of the Reply. It is submitted that these errors were made wholly unintentionally and without deceptive intent. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner acknowledge correction of these errors and authorizes the insertion of these corrections by Examiner's amendment or as otherwise deemed appropriate.

Applicant believes the claims as currently presented in the December 20, 2006 Amendment are in condition for allowance and respectfully requests such action be taken forthwith.

Applicant invites the Examiner to call the undersigned if clarification is needed on any of this response, or if the Examiner believes a telephone interview would expedite the prosecution of the subject application to completion.

Respectfully submitted,

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